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I work very hard to protect what little privacy I have left. I have an unlisted number. I pay \$6.00 per month for the anonymous call blocker feature from my local phone company so that those who won't publish their caller ID cannot contact me. I have also signed up for the Texas Do Not Call list.

However, my home, my safe-haven, my "castle" has been invaded by automated sales scripts offering me real estate, low home loans, and fat burning supplements. The onslaught is never ending and even with the Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) I can't seem to halt the flood!

Please help the consumers stop this flood! I get a minimum of 3 calls per day of recorded sales messages. I have called every company directly asking, pleading, and begging to be taken off their list. Yet the calls continue.

One small change in the TCPA that would significantly help the consumer defend themselves against these continued affronts from advertisers would be the inclusion of a clause that allows for the collection of attorney's fees with successful prosecution of violations of the TCPA. As it stands right now I, the consumer, must single-handedly fight myriads of corporations which can easily take up all of my time - time which I am required to spend working to make ends meet. However, with the addition of a lawyer's fees clause, I can gladly hire an attorney who can pursue these violators. Without such a clause, however, the bite of the TCPA (or any other legislation of that regard) is lessened.

Thank you,  
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